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The following information was obtained from Berlin by cable this morning on Janis OZOIS:

No traces in Berlin station files.

From Berlin Document Center: Subject was born in Wenden (Cesis), Latvia on 29 October 1910 and is listed as a teacher.

In 1934 subject was arrested (political reasons) and was also dismissed from his position as a teacher. He was then drafted and served with the Latvian army from 1 October 1934 to 30 September 1935.

From July 1941 to October 1941, Subject was employed by the Sicherheitsdienst.

From 6 March 1942 to 19 April 1942 and then again from 17 May 1943 to an unspecified date, Subject served with the Waffen SS. He was attached to the 19th Lettland SS Schutzmannschafts Battalion up to 19 April 1942. He served with the 11th SS Freiw. Gren. Regt. 40 and also the SS Junkerschule Toelz in 1944. He was promoted to Waffen SS Untersturmfuehrer on 11 December 1944.

Subject also listed as a member of the Latvian "National Bewegung".

Berlin states that they are pouching a photocopy of a signed statement on his career which was written on 3 May 1944. They are also sending us a copy of a photo of subject in Waffen SS uniform.

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